

FEE TRANSMITTAL

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**Title of
Invention**

System and Method for Reliably Storing Data and Providing Efficient Incremental Backup and Asynchronous Mirroring by Preferentially Handling New Data

Application Number :

Date :

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BASIC FILING FEE

Fee Description	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$
Utility Filing Fee	1001	770	770
Subtotal For Basic Filing Fees: \$ 770			

EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Extra Claim	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$
Total Claims : 31	11	1202	18	198
Independent Claims : 4	1	1201	86	86
Subtotal For Extra Claims Fees: \$ 284				

ASSIGNMENT FEES

Fee Description	Property Number	Quantity	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$
Recording Each Patent Assignment Per Property Fee	00000000	1	8021	40	40
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Subtotal For Additional Fees: \$80					

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